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C O N F I D E N T I A L BRAZZAVILLE 1108

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SUBJECT: NEW ROMANIAN AMBASSADOR TO CONGO: NICOLAE ONIGA

REF: BUCHAREST 4631

BORN IN ALBA IULIA, ONIGA HAS SPENT MOST OF HIS PROFESSIONAL CAREER IN THE ROMANIAN TRADE UNION MOVEMENT, APPARENTLY SERVING AS HEAD OF ITS FOREIGN RELATIONS SECTION PRIOR TO HIS NOMINATION TO BRAZZAVILLE. ONIGA AND HIS WIFE, NEITHER OF WHOM SPEAKS FRENCH (USING ROMANIAN INTERPRETERS HERE INSTEAD), APPEAR TO BE IN THEIR LATE FIFTIES. IN BRAZZAVILLE ONLY A BRIEF TIME, ONIGA ALREADY IS LONESOME FOR HOME. HE SHOWS LITTLE SIGN OF BECOMING INVOLVED IN THE LOCAL SCENE, AS OPPOSED TO CASE OF DEPARTING ROMANIAN CHARGE GHEORGHE GHEORGHU. WE SUSPECT HIS LANGUAGE PROBLEM WILL BE A GREAT DETERRENT TO DOING SO. ONIGA HAS A YOUNG NEPHEW SERVING AT THE ROMANIAN MISSION TO THE UN IN NEW YORK. KATZEN

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